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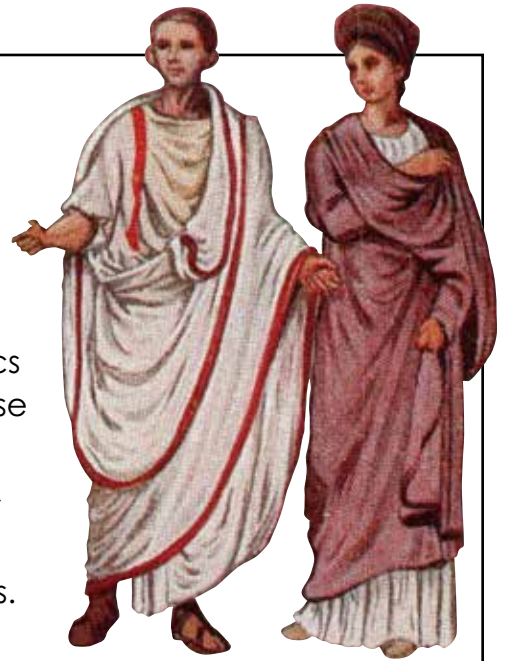
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- b. All togas are long.
- c. All stolas are long.

3. What are two things clothing might tell you about an ancient Roman?

4. Write the number of the order they are worn in from bottom (1) to top (3).

_____ stola _____ palla _____ tunic

5. Why might people who move a lot wear shorter togas?

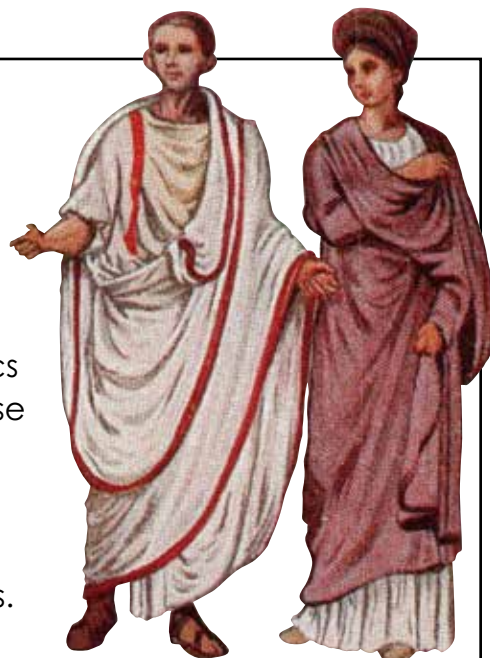
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